

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

A.P. Entertainment Tax Act, 1939 – APSFTV and Theatre Development Corporation Ltd., - Organizing 16th International Children's Film Festival, 2009 – Granting of exemption from payment of entertainment tax to films screened in the Festival Theatres – Reg.

REVENUE (CT.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1709

Dated. 5.12..2009

Read:

From the M.D & Commissioner, I&PR Dept., & E.O. Secretary to
Govt., G.A.(I&PR) Dept., D.O.Lr.No. APSFTVTDC /16th
ICFF/TC/2009-986, dt.05.11.2009.

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ORDER

In the reference read above the Managing Director & Commissioner, I&PR Department has stated that the Government of A.P and Government of India are co-hosting the 16th International Children's Film Festival, 2009 which was held in Hyderabad from 14th to 20th November, 2009. The Government in its G.O.RT.No.3828, G.A.(I&PR.II)Dept.,dt.4.8.2009 have declared this event as a "State Function".

2. The Organizing Committee, constituted by the Government in G.O.Rt.No.3967,G.A.(I&PR-II) Dept., dt.12.8.2009 under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary to Govt., has decided, among other things, in its meeting held on 15.10.2009 that the children films to be screened from 14th to 20th November,2009, during 16th International Children Film Festival, 2009, be exempted from payment of entertainment tax on similar lines as was done for the 15th International Children's Film Festival, 2007.

3. The festival films were screened in the following theatres from 14th to 20th November,2009

1. Prasad Multiplex (Screen-1,2,3)
2. Sudha 70mm, Shalibanda
3. Usha Mayuri 70mm, Musheerabad
4. Konark 70mm, Dilsukhnagar
5. Sri Raghavendra Theatre, Malkajgiri
6. Cine Planet Multiplex (Screen-2), Kompally
7. Lakshmi Kala 70mm, Moosapet
8. Hitech 70mm, Madhapur
9. Hari Hara Kala Bhavan, Secunderabad

4. The show times for Prasad Multiplex was 10.00 A.M., 12.00 Noon and 3.00 P.M. and in other theatres at 10.00 A.M. 12.00 Noon & 2.00 P.M.

5. Therefore, the M.D. & Spl. Commissioner, I&PR Department has requested the Govt., to issue necessary orders granting exemption of festival films from payment of Entertainment Tax screened at the festival theatres

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6. Government, after careful consideration and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of A.P.E.T Act, 1939 (Act 10 of 1939), hereby exempts the above specified cinema halls in Hyderabad and Secunderabad from payment of Entertainment Tax for the films included in the 16th International Children's Film Festival, 2009 and screened from 14th to 20th November, 2009

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Exp.Rev) Department vide their U.O.No.31456/432/A2/Exp.Rev/09, dt.26.11.2009.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASUTOSH MISRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Hyderabad
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and Secunderabad through CCT, Hyderabad.
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The General Administration (V&E) Department
The Finance (Exp.Rev) Department
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